

The Herald and News.

Deadly Disease Among Cows.

A deadly disease has become prevalent among the cows in and around West End. Eleven have died within the past week. The character of the disease is not known.

Mr. J. A. Burton has also lost a fine steer. The matter has not yet been reported, and no steps have been taken to secure the services of the State's veterinary surgeon. It is a matter that should be looked into at once.

Innes and His Band.

It is said that every ear knows bad music and that the human system revolts at it. Consciously or unconsciously good music soothes while bad music irritates. In short, harmony begets harmony and discord discord. The difference between Innes' band and an ordinary one is the difference between order and disorder.

By the introduction of new reed instruments, Innes' band and the others of its kind have been enabled to produce the works of the great masters with the finest technique. Innes and his band are among the musical events announced here this season.

Very Daring Fire Escape.

Some time during Tuesday night the rope holding the electric arc lamp in front of Dr. J. K. Gilder's residence was cut. The lamp dropped to the ground and was broken to fragments. Aside from a consideration of the loss to the city, this was a very dangerous piece of business. The live wire was drawn to the ground by the lamp and remained in the middle of the road until discovered next morning. Sure death was the fate that would have been met man or horse traveling along this street at the time, and it was the merest good luck that no one was injured.

The rope was cut near the bottom of the pole. The work appeared to be that of a pocket knife.

A Runaway Match.

A Runaway Match, which will appear at the opera house tomorrow night, is a clever, bright comedy. It has an interesting plot and is brim full of clean, pure fun, is entirely devoid of coarseness and vulgarity, and is not dependent upon questionable jokes and situations to carry it through. The presenting company is good. Interspersed throughout the action of the comedy are several bright bits of all that is desirable in polite vaudeville.

The following is from the Greenville News yesterday: "The audience that witnessed the presentation of 'A Runaway Match' at the Grand last night seemed pleased with the performance as evidenced by the hearty applause. It was a light play, but as stated in the advance press notices, was constructed for laughing purposes only. As specialties 'The Village Choir' and 'The Whistling Coon' were very good."

New and Attractive Styles.

Mr. E. T. Carlson desires to announce to the good dressers of the community that he is prepared to supply their wants in men's wear. He has a full line of woolsens and worsteds. To the ladies would say he also has a complete line of the latest styles and fabrics represented by an exclusive ladies' tailor-establishment. You can have the assurance of a faultless style, fashionable in a high degree: the best workmanship and a garment made to your individual measure, to fit your form, and at a price consistent with the value. Remember, the fabrics are now ready for your inspection.

Low Rates to State Fair via the Southern.

For the above occasion the Southern Railway will sell from all points in South Carolina, including Asheville, Charlotte, Augusta and Savannah and intermediate stations, tickets to the 34th annual State Fair, Columbia, S. C., at rate of one first class fare for the round trip, plus 50c. (admission fee) for the round trip.

Tickets to be sold October 26th to 31st, inclusive, with final limit to return November 2nd, 1902.

The Southern Railway will operate on October 29th and 30th special trains into and out of Columbia, in addition to their regular trains.

Call upon any agent of the Southern Railway for detailed information, or R. W. Hunt, Division Passenger Agt., Charleston, S. C., W. H. Taylor, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt., Atlanta, Ga.

Advertised Letters.

Remaining in postoffice for week ending Oct. 11, 1902:

B-W C Bushart, Nance Borris.
C-Sump Coleman, A J Cook, Dr Grimm, Miss Cora Christo.
E-Mrs George Elliott.
F-Thomas A Firms.
H-Ida Hanton, Hack Hantz.
K-Mrs Cora J Kinsey.
P-W C Price.
R-Miss Mattie Robertson.
S-Frank Sly.
W-Mrs Emma White.
V-Mrs Mealy Vanderver.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they are advertised.

C. J. Purcell, P. M.

Do not miss the opportunity to take your family to the State Fair. Young and old will be instructed and entertained. All immoral, gambling and questionable features are rigidly excluded.

VARIOUS AND ALL ABOUT.

There was no mayor's court yesterday morning.

"A Runaway Match" at the opera house tomorrow night.

The Dead Fall school will open Monday, Mr. Thos. E. Wicker teacher.

Miss Minnie Cannon, of Prosperity, visited relatives in the city this week.

Miss Lucy Copeland, of Clinton, visited relatives in the city this week.

Miss Janie Vance, of Clinton, is in the city the guest of Miss Thyra Schumper.

Capt. Billy Erwin and Mr. Geo. T. Reid, of Chappells, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Furman Moore, of Greenville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mayer.

Mr. Gary Johnson, of Ninety-Six, has been visiting in the city for the past several days.

Mrs. J. M. Wheeler, of Prosperity, visited her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Rikard, this week.

Miss Eoline Werts, of the Dead Fall section, is visiting her brother, Mr. E. S. Werts, in the city.

Miss Marie Reagan, after spending several weeks with relatives in Atlanta, returned home Tuesday.

A number of Newberry people went to Greenwood on Wednesday to see the Forepaugh & Sells Bros' circus.

Mr. E. S. Werts has commenced work on a dwelling house to be erected on the lot next to Mr. J. C. Wilson's.

Dr. W. E. Pelham, Jr., leaves on Tuesday for New Orleans, where he will take a course in medicine in Tulane University.

Trustees are authorized by the county superintendent to open the public schools of the county on Monday, November 3rd.

Dr. E. P. McClintock, Rev. Mr. Kennedy and Mr. A. J. Gibson went to Woodruff yesterday to attend a meeting of Presbytery.

Mr. E. G. Wilson, college secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for North and South Carolina, was in the city Wednesday in the interest of his association.

Mr. Chas. P. Pelham has contracted with the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York. He is now fixing up nice offices over Pelham's Pharmacy, where he will conduct his Life and Fire business.

Sheriff Buford on Tuesday night carried to Columbia Benson Ruff, an insane negro from Helena. This makes about six persons carried to the State hospital from Newberry County during the past month. Two were white women.

TRAIN ROCKED.

Conductor Hit in the Face and Painfully Bruised.

Passengers on train No. 16, on the Southern road, bound for Columbia, which passes Newberry at 11 o'clock at night, report that just as the train pulled out from Greenwood Wednesday night a number of rocks were thrown through the windows and several shots fired at the coaches. The conductor was hit in the face and painfully bruised. Several Newberry people were on the train at the time.

Wednesday was circus day in Greenwood and this probably had something to do with the matter.

Newberry Horse to be in Greenville.

Mr. A. T. Brown will enter several horses in the races at the 'Trades' Display, to be held in Greenville October 21-24. Lilly Brown, who has gained for herself considerable reputation at State Fairs, will be in the running races, and Mr. Brown is practicing several others for the other matches.

Mr. Brown was sometime ago chosen an honorary member of the horse racing committee.

Fairview Data.

Farmers are about through gathering and have commenced sowing grain.

The cotton crop was very sorry, but better than was expected. The corn crop was very good.

Mr. Sam Wheeler, of Hendersonville, N. C., is visiting at his father's, Mr. D. H. Wheeler's.

Mr. T. M. Miller has moved near O'Neal where he will teach the O'Neal school.

Mrs. Lottie Dickert will open her school at Fairview on an early date.

Mr. Forrest Bedenbaugh will teach the Mt. Pilgrim school.

Mr. Pickens Lindler will teach the Wheeland school.

Mrs. Harriet Long who has been very ill is some better.

Mr. J. A. Baker is preparing to erect some tenant houses on his place.

Mr. Pat Martin has moved his shingle mill on Mr. J. A. Baker's place.

Mr. Kirk Lake has purchased a body of land near Fairview from Mr. J. M. Wheeler.

Mr. N. H. L. is paying highest prices for opossums. Any one would do well to see him before selling.

Messrs. M. C. and L. D. Morris went over to Saluda this week on business.

Mr. John Dominick is building him a nice large dwelling.

Prayer meeting was held at Mr. J. C. Moore's on last (first) Sunday evening. A large crowd was present it was certainly a good prayer meeting.

A good many of our people are expecting to attend synod at Little Mountain.

Are you going to the State Fair? Yes, let's all go and see George. Good wishes to The Herald and its readers. J. M. M. Oct. 14, 1902.

THE BELL TELEPHONE CO.

Another Request for an Unlimited Franchise Made at Special Meeting of Council Tuesday Morning.

A special meeting of city council was held on Tuesday morning at the request of Mr. M. B. Spier, Superintendent of the Southern Bell Telephone Co., to consider the matter of granting his company a franchise to do business within the city limits. J. Y. Culbreath, Esq., represented the Bell company. The request was for a franchise unlimited, both as to time and charges.

Mr. L. W. Floyd was present in the interest of his system, which is being conducted under a franchise of twenty years duration and fixing a maximum charge for 'phones. He stated, however, that it would be agreeable to him to continue his business under any franchise which council might see fit to grant the Bell company.

After hearing the argument it was decided to postpone action until the regular meeting of council on the 21st inst.

This makes the third request of the Bell company for admission to this city. The matter first came before council on the 6th of December of last year, when an ordinance was passed granting the Bell company a franchise to install its system, without any restrictions at all.

Subsequently, on the 14th of December, a second ordinance was passed repealing the ordinance of the 6th, and granting the company a franchise with the same restrictions contained in the franchise under which Mr. Floyd's system is now being operated. These restrictions limit the franchise to a period of twenty years and provide that the rates shall not exceed \$18.00 per year for residence 'phones and \$24.00* for business 'phones. On the 31st of January Mr. F. L. Ingram, superintendent of construction, appeared before council and on behalf of his company declined this franchise, but agreeing to accept a franchise limited to thirty years and fixing a scale of prices which he had prepared. This proposition was considered by council at a meeting on the 19th of March, when it was decided to extend the limit of the franchise granted to thirty years, but that the restrictions as to charges, being the same as those placed upon Mr. Floyd, would not be removed.

This franchise the Bell company again declined, and built its line around the city. The matter was then entirely dropped until Tuesday morning.

At the meeting on Tuesday morning, Mr. Spier emphatically stated that his company could not accept a franchise limited as to time or charges.

PROPERTY NEWS.

All the Happenings of a Live Town Briefly Told—Personal Mention.

Prosperity, October 16.—Miss Crosier Welch and Mrs. Welch Wilbur, having visited the family of Mr. L. S. Bowers, left for their home the early part of this week.

Hon. R. T. C. Hunter has been elected delegate from St. Luke's Church to the approaching session of the Lutheran Synod.

Mr. G. D. Brown is off on a trip to New York.

Mr. R. M. Monts has returned again to his old home and will teach the St. Luke's school next session.

The changing force is now cutting out the road to the proposed location of the steel bridge across the Saluda. One Mill Williams fled the guard last Monday morning and is now at large.

Some of our local astronomers have organized a watching party to witness the luna show tonight—Thursday.

Rev. C. P. Booser, President of Synod, assisted Rev. H. J. Mathias in his communion service last Sunday.

Children's Day at Grace Lutheran Church was well attended and all were delighted and edified in the speeches of Hon. C. T. Wyche, and President G. B. Croner, L. L. D. Missionary offering on that day exceeded \$26 and for the year \$57.17.

At a recent congregational meeting of St. Luke's Church, elders and deacons were elected as follows: Messrs. R. M. Monts, N. R. Lester and N. E. Taylor; T. B. Hawkins, B. W. Booser and B. J. Taylor.

Messrs. W. Bruce and R. E. Shealy returned recently from a trip to Columbia.

Rev. Shearouse and wife, of Chapin, were in our city within the last week.

Mrs. G. S. Bearden, of Columbia, is visiting her parents, Dr. R. L. Luther's family.

Mr. Jeff Beacham, of Ninety-Six, has the contract for painting the three Baker buildings.

Mr. James Quattlebaum, of Bamberg, is visiting in our city.

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Imagine that all flours are alike. There is a difference; a big difference. So much depends upon having pure, white and nutritious flour that the subject is worthy your careful investigation and consideration.

You will be better satisfied in selecting "Clifton" flour, a fact that any one who knows anything about flour will tell you. In purity, whiteness and quality, "Clifton" flour excels all other flour.

Don't imagine that because "Clifton" is a high grade flour that the price is high, because the price is low; in reach of all housekeepers. Cheap flour is dear at any price, while "Clifton" is the least expensive and is the very best you can buy.

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THE EASTERN STAR.

Local Chapter of the Order Organized in Newberry Monday Afternoon.

A Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star was organized in this city Monday afternoon and application for a charter made. The following officers were elected:

Worthy Matron—Mrs. Dr. O. B. Mayer.

Worthy Patron—Dr. Van Smith.

Assistant Matron—Miss Lizzie Dominick.

The name Esther was bestowed upon the chapter.

Upon receipt of the charter the degrees will be conferred by Hon. Otto Klettner, Worshipful Master. Amity Lodge, A. F. M., and the organization perfected. The charter membership includes about thirty-five ladies and gentlemen.

CANCER CURED BY BLOOD BALM.

All Skin and Blood Diseases Cured.

Mrs. M. L. Adams, Fredonia, Ala., took Botanic Blood Balm which effectually cured an eating cancer of the nose and face. The sores healed up perfectly. Many doctors had given up her case as hopeless. Hundreds of cases of cancer, eating sores, suppurating swellings, etc., have been cured by Blood Balm. Among others, Mrs. B. M. Guernsey, Warrior Stand, Ala. Her nose and lip were raw as beef, with offensive discharge from the eating sores. Doctors advised cutting, but it failed. Blood Balm healed the sores, and Mrs. Guernsey is as well as ever. Botanic Blood Balm also cures eczema, itching, humors, scabs and scales, bone pains, ulcers, offensive pimples, blood poison, carbuncles, scrofula, risings and bumps on the skin and all blood troubles. Druggists, \$1 per large bottle. Sample of Botanic Blood Balm free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe the trouble and a special medical advice sent in sealed letter. It is certainly worth while investigating such a remarkable remedy, as Blood Balm cures the most awful, worst and most deep-seated blood diseases.

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A

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Notice to Teachers.

TRUSTEES ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED to open the public schools in Newberry County on Monday, the third day of November, 1902.

E. S. WERTS, County Supt. Education. Newberry, S. C., Oct. 17, 1902.

Notice of Sale of Personal Property.

UNDER AN ORDER OF THE Probate Court for Newberry County, I will sell at public auction, on Tuesday, the 4th day of November, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the late residence of Wilson Counts, deceased, in Newberry County, all of the personal property of said Wilson Counts, deceased, consisting of mules, stock, farming implements, etc.

Terms of sale—Cash. S. L. FELLERS, Executor. October 16th, 1902.

Notice of Final Settlement and Discharge.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I will make a final settlement on the estate of Forrester Booser in the Probate Court of Newberry County, S. C., on Thursday, the 20th day of November, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and will immediately thereafter apply for letters dismisory as guardian of the said estate. N. R. LESTER, Newberry, S. C. Guardian. Oct. 15, 1902.

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THE world can't beat our men's \$5.00 all wool suits. Wooten.

OUR \$5.00 Broadcloth Jacket is the prettiest and best in the market for the money, at Wooten's.

For Rent. Good two-horse farm in No. 6 Township. Apply to J. T. Senn, at E. M. Evans & Co.

YOUNG JACK for service. Apply to As. L. Knighton. M. M. BUFORD.

MUSIC SCHOOL.—Miss Bessie Simmons will take a limited number of pupils in Vocal and Instrumental Music at her residence on Calhoun street. \$2.

MONEY TO LOAN.—We negotiate loans on improved farm lands at seven per cent. interest on amounts over one thousand dollars, and eight per cent. interest on amounts less than \$1,000. Long time and easy payments. Hunt, Hunt & Hunter, Attorneys.

CLAF DINING ROOM.—Meals can be had at all hours at the Cafe dining room on West Main street, opposite Klettner's. Always the best market affords at very moderate prices. Meals served in any style to suit any taste. Fresh oysters always on hand. McKenzies & Son.

Dr. W. E. Pelham.

Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent authorities. They have dispelled the silly notion that one kind of food is needed for brain, another for muscles, and still another for bones. A correct diet will not only nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part. Yet, however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Green's August Flower, the favorite medicine of the healthy millions. A few doses aid digestion, stimulates the liver to healthy action, purifies the blood, and makes you feel buoyant and vigorous. You can get this reliable remedy at W. E. Pelham & Son.

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COLE, L. BLEASE, N. G. T. S. Hudson, Secretary.

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Hulls 25c. hundred pounds.

Meal \$1.15 per sack, (100 pounds.)

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Dry goods, Dress goods, Silks, Velvets,

White goods, Trimmings, Buttons, Embroideries, Laces, White and Red

Flannel, Embroidered Flannel, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets,

Domestics, Jeans